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A check in the amount of \$165 for the appeal fee is enclosed. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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